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## Gibson-Glass, Mary

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To: Cc: Gibson-Glass, Mary

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Kovach, Robert

Attachments:

Amendment for rubber duck/raffle bill requested Duck Race amendment - OCG version v11.004.docx

Hi Mary:

Rob from the Lasee office and myself received some feedback from DOA suggesting changes that would create "certificate of participation" raffles in Wisconsin, much like Minnesota has. This would not limit such raffles to just duck races, but would open up a number of other types of certificate of participation raffles (i.e. "cow chip bingo," golf ball drops, etc.) The modification seems to require the word "drawing" where SB 340 currently strikes it. There is an application fee increase and some other changes.

Attached is a document that outlines the changes we would like to make. The bill is likely going to be heard in the Assembly on December 10<sup>th</sup>, so we would like to have the amendment before then.

If you have any questions or there are any things I should look at, just let me know.

Have a nice Thanksgiving,

## Jamie Julian

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## Stats 563.03 Definitions. In this chapter:

## Amend the definition of raffle:

563.03(12m) "Raffle" means a game of chance in which tickets, certificates of participation or calendars are sold and a drawing for prizes is held.

## Stats 563.905 Definitions. In this subchapter:

### Add the following definitions:

"Certificate of participation" means an alternate form of a raffle ticket which must contain the same items under 563.93(1) and a record that corresponds to an individually numbered object in a raffle where there is an alternative drawing method as described in Stats XXX or an individually numbered duck in a duck race.

"Drawing" means a random selection of an organization's raffle ticket portion from a container housing all raffle tickets purchased for the raffle, with such selection used to determine a winner. Any other method of drawing must be approved by the Division as described in Stats XXX.

"Duck Race" A game of chance for which certificates of participation are sold, that employs flexible plastic or rubber ducks that are used in a race, and that meets all of the following requirements:

- (a) The ducks are placed in a waterway and the first duck to cross a finish line represents the winner of the raffle.
- (b) All of the ducks are made to be unsinkable and unbreakable.
- (c) A number written in waterproof ink is on each duck and the number is the same as one that is on the certificate of participation that was sold for the raffle.
- (d) All of the ducks are of the same size, shape, and weight.
- (e) The waterway is free of obstructions.
- (f) The race begins with all of the ducks being held behind a barrier and the barrier then being removed or with all of the ducks being dropped by means of a device into the water at the same time.
- (g) All individuals present at the race are prohibited from touching, hindering, or moving the ducks while they are in the waterway.
- (h) The winner is determined by the use of a chute or some other entrapment device that is located at the finish line and that traps the ducks, one at a time, in the order that they cross the finish line.
- (i) The numbers appearing on the winning duck at the time a winner is determined shall be verified in the immediate presence of at least one disinterested party.

### 563.92 License.

(2) The fee for a raffle license shall be \$25 \$45 and shall be remitted with the application. A raffle license shall be valid for 12 months and may be renewed as provided in s.  $\underline{563.98 (1g)}$ . The department shall issue the license within 30 business days after the filing of an application if the applicant qualifies under s.  $\underline{563.90}$  and has not exceeded the limits of s.  $\underline{563.91}$ . All moneys received by the department under this subsection shall be credited to the appropriation account under s.  $\underline{20.505 (8) (j)}$ .

563.92 License. (1m) .... The department may issue a Class B license for the conduct of a raffle in which all of the tickets for that raffle are sold on the same day as or for 24 hours prior to the raffle drawing. (563.935)

(6) (a) Except as provided in par. (b), the purchaser of a ticket must be present at the drawing to win a prize, unless the purchaser gives the ticket to another person who may claim the prize on behalf of the purchaser, but only if that other person is present at the drawing. If the purchaser of the ticket gives the ticket to another person to claim a prize on behalf of the purchaser, the organization conducting the raffle and the department shall not be held responsible or liable in any dispute regarding the ownership of the ticket.

(b) Any organization conducting a raffle may, according to procedures determined by the organization, allow the purchaser of a ticket not to be present at the drawing to win a prize.

### Stats XXX CONDUCTING AN ALTERNATIVE RAFFLE.

If an organization uses an alternative method of selecting winners other than as prescribed in 563.905, the organization must obtain prior approval of the Division of Gaming. The request must include at a minimum:

- (a) organization's name and license number;
- (b) premise name and address where the raffle will be conducted
- (c) type of random selection process to be used for determining winners;
- (d) details of the operation and the conduct of the raffle, including method for selling certificates of participation;
- (e) record-keeping and accounting procedures for the raffle;
- (f) date organization membership approved the raffle and alternative method of selecting winners and;
- (g) signature of designated member

In considering the request, the Division of Gaming must ensure that the raffle and the alternative method of selecting winners comply with statutory and rule requirements for raffles. If approved, the alternative method may be used for future raffles by all organizations without additional Division approval. The approval or denial must be made available upon request and must be posted on the Division of Gaming's Web site.

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Hi,

I just left you a voice mail but in case you check here first I just wanted to let you know we do not want the sub drafted with the suggested fee increase that was in the information I forwarded from the department.

Thanks,

## Jamie Julian

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## State of Misconsin 2013 - 2014 LEGISLATURE

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# 2013 ASSEMBLY BILL 422

October 17, 2013 - Introduced by Representatives Jacque, Petryk, Ballweg, Bernier, Born, Brooks, Knodl, Murtha, Nass, Ripp, Tittl, Williams and Endsley, cosponsored by Senators Lasee, Leibham, Harsdorf and Schultz. Referred to Committee on State Affairs and Government Operations.

AN ACT to repeal 563.03 (12m); to renumber and amend 563.90; to amend
563.05 (2), 563.91, 563.92 (1m), 563.92 (2), 563.93 (1) (e), 563.93 (1s), 563.93 (4)

(a), 563.93 (4) (b), 563.93 (4m), 563.93 (5), 563.93 (6), 563.93 (7), 563.93 (8),

563.93 (9), 563.935 (5), 563.935 (6) (a), 563.935 (6) (b), 563.935 (8), 563.935 (9),

563.935 (10) (intro.) and 945.01 (3) (b) 1.; and to create 563.908, 563.92 (3b) and

563.98 (1) (f) of the statutes; relating to: raffles that involve the racing of plastic or rubber ducks.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The Wisconsin Constitution permits the legislature to authorize certain types of gambling. A raffle conducted by a local religious, charitable, service, fraternal, or veterans' organization is a type of gambling that may be authorized. Under current law, the legislature has authorized the operation of raffles that are games of chance in which tickets are sold and drawings are held.

This bill expands the type of raffles that are authorized to include games of the chance for which tickets are sold and that use plastic or rubber ducks in a race. Each "duck" has a number on it, which is the same number that is on a ticket that was sold for the raffle. The duck that first crosses the finish line represents the winner of the raffle. The bill imposes certain requirements for conducting a race, including a requirement that the ducks be the same size, shape, and weight, and that a device be used at the finish line that traps the ducks in the order that they cross.

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For further information see the **state** fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

# The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

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1 Section 1. 563.03 (12m) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. 563.05 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.05 (2) The department may promulgate rules requiring holders of licenses issued under this chapter to post a notice in a conspicuous place where a bingo occasion or raffle drawing is being conducted describing the procedures for filing a complaint against the holder.

**SECTION 3.** 563.90 of the statutes is renumbered 563.907 and amended to read:

563.907 Qualified organizations. Any local religious, charitable, service, fraternal or veterans organization or any organization to which contributions are deductible for federal income tax purposes or state income or franchise tax purposes, which has been in existence for one year immediately preceding its application for a license or which is chartered by a state or national organization which has been in existence for at least 3 years, may conduct a raffle upon receiving a license for the raffle event from the department. No other person may conduct a raffle in this state.

**SECTION 4.** 563.908 of the statutes is created to read:

563.908 Types of raffles allowed. A raffle may not be conducted in this state unless it is one of the following:

(1) A game of chance for which tickets or calendars are sold and a drawing for prizes is held.

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1	(2) A game of chance for which tickets are sold, that employs flexible plastic
2	or rubber ducks that are used in a race, and that meets all of the following
3	requirements:
4	(a) The ducks are placed in a waterway and the first duck to cross a finish line
5	represents the winner of the raffle.
6	(b) All of the ducks are made to be unsinkable and unbreakable.
7	(c) A number written in waterproof ink is on each duck and the number is the same as one that is on a single ticket that was sold for the raffle.
9	(d) All of the ducks are of the same size, shape, and weight.
10	(e) The waterway is free of obstructions.
11	(f) The race begins with all of the ducks being held behind a barrier and the
12	barrier then being removed or with all of the ducks being dropped by means of a
13	device into the water at the same time.
14	(g) All individuals present at the race are prohibited from touching, hindering,
15	or moving the ducks while they are in the waterway.
16	(h) The winner is determined by the use of a chute or some other entrapment
17	device that is located at the finish line and that traps the ducks, one at a time, in the
18	order that they cross the finish line.
19	SECTION 5. 563.91 of the statutes is amended to read:
20	<b>563.91 Limit.</b> No qualified organization under s. <del>563.90</del> <u>563.907</u> may conduct
21	more than 200 raffles or more than one calendar raffle during a year.
22	SECTION 6. 563.92 (1m) of the statutes is amended to read:
23	563.92 (1m) The department may issue a Class A license for the conduct of a
24	raffle in which some or all of the tickets for that raffle are sold on days other than the

same day as that the raffle drawing occurs and in which equal shares of a single ticket

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may be sold to one or more purchasers. The department may issue a Class B license for the conduct of a raffle in which all of the tickets for that raffle are sold on the same day as that the raffle drawing occurs **SECTION 7.** 563.92 (2) of the statutes is amended to read: 563.92 (2) The fee for a raffle license shall be \$25 and shall be remitted with the application. A raffle license shall be valid for 12 months and may be renewed as provided in s. 563.98 (1g). The department shall issue the license within 30 days after the filing of an application if the applicant qualifies under s. 563.90 563.907 and has not exceeded the limits of s. 563.91. All moneys received by the department under this subsection shall be credited to the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (8) (j). **SECTION 8.** 563.92 (3b) of the statutes is created to read: 563.92 (3b) An application for a Class A or Class B license submitted by an organization that plans to conduct a raffle of the type described in s. 563.908 (2) shall include all of the following: (a) The name of the organization. (b) The address of the premises where each raffle will be conducted. (c) Description of the record-keeping and accounting procedures that will be used in conducting each raffle. (d) The date the membership approved this type of raffle. (e) The signature of the president of the organization. each **SECTION 9.** 563.93 (1) (e) of the statutes is amended to read: 563.93 (1) (e) The date, time and place of the drawing or drawings raffle **Section 10.** 563.93 (1s) of the statutes is amended to read: STET

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1	563.93 (1s) Each raffle ticket and each calendar sold by an organization shall
2	include a separate identification number, printed on both the purchaser's and the
3	organization's portion of the ticket or calendar, numbered consecutively in relation
4	to the other tickets or calendars for the same drawing raffle.
5	SECTION 11. 563.93 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
6	563.93 (4) (a) Except as provided in par. (b), tickets for a proposed raffle may
7	not be offered for sale more than 270 days before the date of the raffle drawing
8	SECTION 12. 563.93 (4) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
9	563.93 (4) (b) An organization that existed at least 5 years before the
10	organization was issued a Class A license may offer tickets for sale for a proposed
11	raffle up to one year before the date of the raffle <del>drawing</del>
12	SECTION 13. 563.93 (4m) of the statutes is amended to read:
13	563.93 (4m) The organization that conducts a raffle under a Class A license
14	shall provide the purchaser of a raffle ticket or calendar the purchaser's portion of
15	the ticket or calendar before the raffle drawing is held, but need not provide it to the
16	purchaser at the time of purchase.
17	SECTION 14. 563.93 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:
18	563.93 (5) All raffle drawings raffles shall be held in public.
19	SECTION 15. 563.93 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:
20	563.93 (6) All prizes shall be awarded. The purchaser of a ticket or calendar
21	need not be present at the <del>drawing</del> raffle to win a prize.
22	SECTION 16. 563.93 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:
23	563.93 (7) If a raffle drawing is canceled, the organization shall refund the
24	receipts to the ticket or calendar purchasers.
25	SECTION 17. 563.93 (8) of the statutes is amended to read:

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563.93 (8) The organization that holds a raffle drawing shall furnish a list of
prize winners to each ticket or calendar holder who provides the organization with
a self-addressed stamped envelope and requests the list.

**SECTION 18.** 563.93 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.93 (9) If a person who holds a Class A license sells equal shares of a single ticket to one or more purchasers for a raffle the person shall, prior to the date on which the raffle drawing for which the shares were sold is held, purchase any shares of the ticket that have not been sold.

SECTION 19. 563.935 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.935 (5) All raffle drawings raffles shall be held in public.

**SECTION 20.** 563.935 (6) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.935 (6) (a) Except as provided in par. (b), the purchaser of a ticket must be present at the drawing time the raffle is held to win a prize, unless the purchaser gives the ticket to another person who may claim the prize on behalf of the purchaser, but only if that other person is present at the drawing raffle. If the purchaser of the ticket gives the ticket to another person to claim a prize on behalf of the purchaser, the organization conducting the raffle and the department shall not be held responsible or liable in any dispute regarding the ownership of the ticket.

**SECTION 21.** 563.935 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.935 (6) (b) Any organization conducting a raffle may, according to procedures determined by the organization, allow the purchaser of a ticket not to be present at the drawing time the raffle is held to win a prize

**SECTION 22.** 563.935 (8) of the statutes is amended to read:

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	563.935 (8) The date, time, and place of the drawing and raffled the prizes to
	be awarded, and the prize amount or the methodology used to determine the prize
	amount shall be posted or announced before the drawing.
	SECTION 23. 563.935 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:
	563.935 (9) If a raffle drawing is canceled, the organization shall refund the
	receipts to the ticket purchasers.
i	SECTION 24. 563.935 (10) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
	563.935 (10) (intro.) A raffle that is not of the type that is described in s. 563.908
	(and that is conducted under a Class B license to which all of the following apply
	is one raffle for purposes of s. 563.91:
	SECTION 25. 563.98 (1) (f) of the statutes is created to read: and (3)
$\supset$	563.98 (1) (f) For raffles of the type described in s. 563.908 (2), an accounting
	of all sold and unsold tickets for each raffle.
	SECTION 26. 945.01 (3) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
	945.01 (3) (b) 1. A device used in conducting a bingo occasion or raffle event
	under ch. 563, used in conducting a lottery under ch. 565 or used in conducting a race
	under ch. 562.
	SECTION 27. Initial applicability.
į	(1) The treatment of section 563.92 (3b) of the statutes first applies to

applications that are submitted on the effective date of this subsection.

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Under current law, the division of gaming in the Department of Administration (DOA) issues licenses to organizations that are authorized to conduct raffles. A class A license authorizes an organization to sell tickets to the raffle on days other than the day on which the drawing will be held. A class B license allows the sale of tickets for a raffle only on the day the raffle will be held. Under either license, an organization may hold up to 270 raffles a year or one calendar raffle a year. A calendar raffle is one where a drawing is held and a prize award on certain dates specified on the calendar.

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SECTION # 563.03 (5r) of the statutes is created to read:

563.03 (**5r**) "Drawing" means a method of a random selection of an organization's raffle ticket portion from a container housing all raffle tickets purchased for the raffle, with such selection used to determine a winner, or any other method of drawing approved by the department under s 563.909.

SECTION 563.03 (11) of the statutes is amended to read:



1	563.03 (11) "Premises" means any room, hall, enclosure, tent, or outdoor area
2	in which bingo is being played or a raffle game is being held.
3	Section 4: 563.03 (12r) of the statutes is created to read:
4	563.03 (12r) "Raffle game" means a drawing as described under s. 563.908 (1),
5	a rubber duck race, or other game of chance which has approved by the department
6	under s. 958.909. 563
7	Insert 3–18
8	$\checkmark$ (i) At least one person who is not holding a certificate of participation for the
9	raffle verifies the number appearing on the winning duck at the time that it crosses
10	the finish line.
11	(3) A game of chance for which a method, other than the methods described in
12	sub. (1) or (2), is used to determine a winner and which has been approved by the
13	department under s. 959.909. 563
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15	563.909 Approval for additional types of raffles. (1) An organization
16	holding a Class A or Class B license planning to conduct raffles of the type described
17	under s. 963 908 (3) shall obtain the approval of the department before conducting
18	such a raffle. The request for approval submitted to the department shall include
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20	(a) The name of the organization.
21	(b) The number of the license issued to the organization by the department.
22	(c) The address of the premises where the raffle games will be held.
23	(d) A description of how this type raffle will be conducted, including the method
24	to be used for selling certificates of participation and the type of random selection
25	process to be used for determining winners.

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2	used for this type of raffle.
3	(f) The date on which the membership of the organization approved this type
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5	(g) The signature of a member of the organization who the organization has
6	designated to submit the request for approval.
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9	subchapter and with any rules promulgated under this subchapter. The department
10	shall issue a written determination as to whether the type of raffle is approved or
11	denied and the basis for its determination. If the raffle is approved, the
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13	a description of record keeping and accounting procedures that must be used. The
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17	of raffle without receiving approval under this section.
18	Insert 6-22
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- 4 **SECTION 20d.** 563.935 (6) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

# DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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December 3, 2013

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## Gibson-Glass, Mary

From:

Julian, Jamie

Sent: To:

Tuesday, December 17, 2013 4:19 PM

Gibson-Glass, Mary

Subject:

RE: Drafting notes for Raffle Bill

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Hi:

I just wanted to get back with you before the day gets away. Yes, pull the separate duck language - duck races will be under the umbrella of alternative raffles in 563.909. Therefore most of page 4 is unnecessary as it will show up in the rule that will follow this bill. You referenced on the phone your question of whether the bill would mandate or permit certain types of alternate raffles. Please mandate that duck races shall be allowed and authorize DOA to recognize other alternative raffle games. Please reinstate the "raffle game" language where it is needed to indicate the moment or period of time in which the winner is determined. We will have some info related to the application in the bill (pg 5 ln 8, etc.) - I'm waiting to get some feedback on this probably tomorrow. per Jamie: do not requie rues for duck races

Hope that helps. Please let me know if you have additional questions.

Jamie Julian

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From: Gibson-Glass, Mary

Sent: Monday, December 16, 2013 2:07 PM

To: Julian, Jamie

Cc: Knudson, Steven A - DOA

Subject: RE: Drafting notes for Raffle Bill

Jamie-

Could you please call me when you get back into the office?

Thanks,

Mary

From: Gastel, Joseph T - DOA [mailto:Joseph.Gastel@wisconsin.gov]

Sent: Friday, December 13, 2013 8:32 AM To: Julian, Jamie; Gibson-Glass, Mary

Cc: Knudson, Steven A - DOA

Subject: Drafting notes for Raffle Bill

### Thanks Jamie,

We think that when people think of a raffle, a part of that raffle includes the drawing for the prize. We firmly agree with Jamie and Rep. Jacque that a "drawing" is a specific moment in time – that is the way the statutes have pretty much read since inception and that is the way people have come to commonly understand "drawing". It is commonly terminology for the purchaser of a raffle ticket to want to know "where and when the drawing is held". To remove "drawing" would make it more confusing to the general public. Ticket purchasers need to know where to show up if they want to witness the "drawing". It seems like we should be able to define drawing to mean whatever we need it to – in our particular instance as it is currently defined in statute or as method of selecting a winner that has been approved by the Division. We feel that is a clear to describe it.

As for a Certificate of Participation, we also envision it as a subset of a Class A raffle ticket to be used when the method of selection does not incorporate the traditional raffle ticket stub that is going into a drawing container.

Please let me know if I can answer any questions.

Joe Gastel p 608-270-2545

**From:** Julian, Jamie [mailto:Jamie.Julian@legis.wisconsin.gov]

Sent: Thursday, December 12, 2013 12:32 PM

**To:** Gibson-Glass, Mary - LEGIS **Cc:** Gastel, Joseph T - DOA

Subject: Drafting notes for Raffle Bill

Mary:

In response to your drafter notes on the duck/raffle bill...

- 1. I understand your concern over the accuracy of using the word drawing to describe a duck race. Makes sense. However, the purpose of the phrase "raffle drawing" is to pinpoint a moment in time much more than label an event. If you can think of a phrase that would accomplish this purpose we are open to any suggestions. The concern is that "raffle game" is a bit too broad to accomplish its purpose "raffle drawing" is used in many cases more to indicate the moment at which the winner is determined. Perhaps more suitable language could be used in the appropriate places instead of raffled drawing or game to indicate where the time and place when a winner is determined
- 2. Joe can you clarify for us that it is correct that a "certificate of participation" is to be a subset or type of raffle ticket.

Mary – We do not need a special separate category for duck games/raffles – it should fall under/be integrated into other alternative raffles just like ball drops, etc. The goal is to create one, uniform system under which all the various alternative raffle games will be conducted.

I'm not sure if this answers all of you questions. Unfortunately, I will be out of the office tomorrow and Monday, but Joe you are welcome to carbon copy me on any clarifications you would like to make as I believe we are all headed in the same direction and Rep. Jacque was comfortable with DOA's suggestions. For now the application fee will remain the same/not increase as that will likely be a budget/fiscal item in the future.

Thank you,

# Jamie Julian

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# PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT,

**TO ASSEMBLY BILL 422** 

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AN ACT to repeal 563.03 (12m) and 563.935 (6) (b); to renumber and amend 563.90 and 563.935 (6) (a); to amend 563.03 (11), 563.05 (2), 563.91, 563.92 (1m), 563.92 (2), 563.93 (1) (e), 563.93 (1s), 563.93 (4) (a), 563.93 (4) (b), 563.93 (4m), 563.93 (5), 563.93 (6), 563.93 (7), 563.93 (8), 563.93 (9), 563.935 (5), 563.935 (8), 563.935 (9), 563.935 (10) (intro.) and 945.01 (3) (b) 1.; and to create 563.03 (4p), 563.03 (5r), 563.03 (12r), 563.908, 563.909 and 563.98 (1) (f) of the statutes; relating to: raffles that involve the racing of plastic or rubber ducks and approval of other types of raffles.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The Wisconsin Constitution permits the legislature to authorize certain types of gambling. A raffle conducted by a local religious, charitable, service, fraternal, or veterans' organization is a type of gambling that may be authorized. Under current law, the legislature has authorized the operation of raffles that are games of chance in which tickets are sold and drawings are held.



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This substitute amendment expands the type of raffles that are authorized under a Class A or Class B license to include games of chance for which tickets are sold and that use plastic or rubber ducks in a race. Each "duck" has a number on it. which is the same number that is on a ticket that was sold for the raffle. The duck that first crosses the finish line represents the winner of the raffle. The substitute Imendment imposes certain requirements for conducting a race, including a  $\dot{x}$  equirement that the ducks be the same size, shape, and weight, and that a device be used at the finish line that traps the ducks in the order that they cross

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The substitute amendment also authorizes an organization that is licensed to hold raffles to request approval to hold a raffle that is not a regular drawing raffle or a duck race. The request for approval must include information such as a description of the method to be used for selling tickets and the type of random selection process to be used for determining winners. DOA may not approve a new type of raffle unless it determines that the raffle will comply with the requirements under current law that apply to raffles in general. (This includes a requirement that ) These the drawing, duck race, or other raffle game be held in public and that all of the prizes Mclude must be awarded. If DOA approves a new type of raffle, any other organization holding a Class A or Class B license may conduct may conduct this new type of raffle mento without seeking additional approval.

## The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

**SECTION 1.** 563.03 (4p) of the statutes is created to read:

563.03 (4p) "Certificate of participation" means a form of raffle ticket that entitles a person to enter into a raffle as described under s. 563.908 (2) for (3)

**Section 2.** 563.03 (5r) of the statutes is created to read:

563.03 (5r) "Drawing" means a method of random selection of a raffle ticket portion from a container housing all raffle tickets purchased for the raffle, with such

1	selection used to determine a winner, or any other method of drawing approved by
2	the department under s. 563.909.
3	SECTION 3. 563.03 (11) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	563.03 (11) "Premises" means any room, hall, enclosure, tent, or outdoor area
5	in which bingo is being played or a raffle game is being held.
6	SECTION 4. 563.03 (12m) of the statutes is repealed.
7	SECTION 5. 563.03 (12r) of the statutes is created to read:
8	563.03 (12r) "Raffle game" means a drawing as described under s. 563.908 (1), other that a rubber duck race or another game of chance which has been approved by the
10	department under s. 563.909.
11	<b>SECTION 6.</b> 563.05 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
12	563.05 (2) The department may promulgate rules requiring holders of licenses
13	issued under this chapter to post a notice in a conspicuous place where a bingo
14	occasion or raffle drawing game is being conducted describing the procedures for
15	filing a complaint against the holder.
16	SECTION 7. 563.90 of the statutes is renumbered 563.907 and amended to read:
17	563.907 Qualified organizations. Any local religious, charitable, service,
18	fraternal or veterans organization or any organization to which contributions are
19	deductible for federal income tax purposes or state income or franchise tax purposes,
20	which has been in existence for one year immediately preceding its application for
21	a license or which is chartered by a state or national organization which has been in
22	existence for at least 3 years, may conduct a raffle upon receiving a license for the
23	raffle event from the department. No other person may conduct a raffle in this state.
24	SECTION 8. 563.908 of the statutes is created to read:

1	563.908 Types of raffles allowed. A raffle may not be conducted in this state
2	unless it is one of the following types:
3	(1) A game of chance for which tickets or calendars are sold and a drawing for
4	prizes is held.
5	(2) A game of chance for which certificates of participation are sold, that
6	employs flexible plastic or rubber ducks that are used in a race, and that meets all
7	of the following requirements:
8	(a) The ducks are placed in a waterway and the first duck to cross a finish line
9	represents the winner of the raffle.
10	(b) All of the ducks are made to be unsinkable and unbreakable.
11	(c) A number written in waterproof ink is on each duck and the number is the
12	same as one that is on a single certificate of participation that was sold for the raffle.
13	(d) All of the ducks are of the same size, shape, and weight.
14	(e) The waterway is free of obstructions.
15	(f) The race begins with all of the ducks being held behind a barrier and the
16	barrier then being removed or with all of the ducks being dropped by means of a
17	device into the water at the same time.
18	(g) All individuals present at the race are prohibited from touching, hindering,
19	or moving the ducks while they are in the waterway.
20	(h) The winner is determined by the use of a chute or some other entrapment
21	device that is located at the finish line and that traps the ducks, one at a time, in the
22	order that they cross the finish line.
23	(i) At least one person who is not holding a certificate of participation for the
24	raffle verifies the number appearing on the winning duck at the time that it crosses
25	the finish line.

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1	(2) (3) A game of chance for which a method, other than the methods described in
2	sub. (1) or (2), is used to determine a winner and which has been approved by the
3	department under s. 563.909.
4	SECTION 9. 563.909 of the statutes is created to read:
5	563.909 Approval for additional types of raffles. (1) An organization
6	holding a Class A or Class B license planning to conduct raffles of the type described
7	under s. 563.908 (3) shall obtain the approval of the department before conducting
8	such a raffle. The request for approval submitted to the department shall include INSE/Z
9	all of the following information:  5-7
10	(a) The name of the organization.
11	(b) The number of the license issued to the organization by the department.
12	(c) The address of the premises where the raffle games will be held.
13	(d) A description of how this type of raffle will be conducted, including the
14	method to be used for selling certificates of participation and the type of random
15	selection process to be used for determining winners.
16	(e) A description of the record-keeping and accounting procedures that will be
17	used for this type of raffle. \$5.563.04 or 563.05
18	(f) The date on which the membership of the organization approved this type
19	of raffle.
20	(g) The signature of a member of the organization whom the organization has
21	designated to submit the request for approval.
22	(3) (2) The department may not approve a type of raffle under this section unless
23	it determines that the raffle will comply with the requirements under this
24	subchapter and with any rules promulgated under this subchapter. The department
25	shall issue a written determination as to whether the type of raffle is approved or

denied and the basis for its determination. If the raffle is approved, the determination shall include a description of how the raffle must be conducted and a description of record-keeping and accounting procedures that must be used. The department shall post a copy of the determination on the department's Internet site.

(4) (3) Upon approval of a type of raffle under this section, any organization holding a Class A or Class B license issued under s. 563.92 may conduct this type of raffle without receiving approval under this section.

**SECTION 10.** 563.91 of the statutes is amended to read:

**563.91 Limit.** No qualified organization under s. <u>563.90 563.907</u> may conduct more than 200 raffles or more than one calendar raffle during a year.

**SECTION 11.** 563.92 (1m) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.92 (1m) The department may issue a Class A license for the conduct of a raffle in which some or all of the tickets for that raffle are sold on days other than the same day as that the raffle drawing game occurs and in which equal shares of a single ticket may be sold to one or more purchasers. The department may issue a Class B license for the conduct of a raffle in which all of the tickets for that raffle are sold on the same day as that the raffle drawing game occurs or within the 24 hours immediately preceding the start of the raffle game.

**SECTION 12.** 563.92 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

563.92 (2) The fee for a raffle license shall be \$25 and shall be remitted with the application. A raffle license shall be valid for 12 months and may be renewed as provided in s. 563.98 (1g). The department shall issue the license within 30 <u>business</u> days after the filing of an application if the applicant qualifies under s. 563.90 563.907 and has not exceeded the limits of s. 563.91. All moneys received by the

1	department under this subsection shall be credited to the appropriation account
2	under s. 20.505 (8) (j).
3	SECTION 13. 563.93 (1) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	563.93 (1) (e) The date, time and place of the drawing or drawings each raffle
5	game.
6	SECTION 14. 563.93 (1s) of the statutes is amended to read:
7	563.93 (1s) Each raffle ticket and each calendar sold by an organization shall
8	include a separate identification number, printed on both the purchaser's and the
9	organization's portion of the ticket or calendar, numbered consecutively in relation
10	to the other tickets or calendars for the same drawing raffle game.
11	SECTION 15. 563.93 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
12	563.93 (4) (a) Except as provided in par. (b), tickets for a proposed raffle may
13	not be offered for sale more than 270 days before the <u>date of the</u> raffle <u>drawing game</u> .
14	SECTION 16. 563.93 (4) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
15	563.93 (4) (b) An organization that existed at least 5 years before the
16	organization was issued a Class A license may offer tickets for sale for a proposed
17	raffle up to one year before the date of the raffle drawing game.
18	SECTION 17. 563.93 (4m) of the statutes is amended to read:
19	563.93 (4m) The organization that conducts a raffle under a Class A license
20	shall provide the purchaser of a raffle ticket or calendar the purchaser's portion of
21	the ticket or calendar before the raffle drawing game is held, but need not provide
22	it to the purchaser at the time of purchase.
23	<b>SECTION 18.</b> 563.93 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:
24	563.93 (5) All raffle drawings games shall be held in public.
25	SECTION 19. 563.93 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

1	563.93 (6) All prizes shall be awarded. The purchaser of a ticket or calendar
2	need not be present at the drawing raffle game to win a prize.
3	SECTION 20. 563.93 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	563.93 (7) If a raffle drawing game is canceled, the organization shall refund
5	the receipts to the ticket or calendar purchasers.
6	<b>SECTION 21.</b> 563.93 (8) of the statutes is amended to read:
7	563.93 (8) The organization that holds a raffle drawing game shall furnish a
8	list of prize winners to each ticket or calendar holder who provides the organization
9	with a self-addressed stamped envelope and requests the list.
10	SECTION 22. 563.93 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:
11	563.93 (9) If a person who holds a Class A license sells equal shares of a single
12	ticket to one or more purchasers for a raffle game, the person shall, prior to the date
13	on which the raffle drawing for which the shares were sold game is held, purchase
14	any shares of the ticket that have not been sold.
15	<b>SECTION 23.</b> 563.935 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:
16	563.935 (5) All raffle drawings games shall be held in public.
17	<b>SECTION 24.</b> 563.935 (6) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 563.935 (6) and
18	amended to read:
19	563.935 (6) Except as provided in par. (b), the The purchaser of a ticket must
20	be present at the drawing time the raffle game is held to win a prize, unless the
21	purchaser gives the ticket to another person who may claim the prize on behalf of the
22	purchaser, but only if that other person is present at the drawing raffle game. If the
23	purchaser of the ticket gives the ticket to another person to claim a prize on behalf
24	of the purchaser, the organization conducting the raffle and the department shall not
25	be held responsible or liable in any dispute regarding the ownership of the ticket.

1	SECTION 25. 563.935 (6) (b) of the statutes is repealed.
2	SECTION 26. 563.935 (8) of the statutes is amended to read:
3	563.935 (8) The date, time, and place of the drawing and raffle game, the prizes
4	to be awarded, and the prize amount or the methodology used to determine the prize
5	amount shall be posted or announced before the drawing raffle game.
6	SECTION 27. 563.935 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:
7	563.935 (9) If a raffle drawing game is canceled, the organization shall refund
8	the receipts to the ticket purchasers.
9	SECTION 28. 563.935 (10) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
10	563.935 (10) (intro.) A raffle that is the type described in s. 563.908 (1) and that
11	is conducted under a Class B license to which all of the following apply is one raffle
12	for purposes of s. 563.91:
13	SECTION 29. 563.98 (1) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
14	563.98 (1) (f) For raffles of the type described in s. 563.908 (2) and (3), an
15	accounting of all sold and unsold tickets for each raffle.
16	SECTION 30. 945.01 (3) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
17	945.01 (3) (b) 1. A device used in conducting a bingo occasion or raffle event
18	game under ch. 563, used in conducting a lottery under ch. 565 or used in conducting
19	a race under ch. 562.
20	(END)
	4)
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## 2013-2014 DRAFTING INSERT FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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This substitute amendment expands the types of raffles that may be allowed. Under the amendment, DOA must approve a type of raffle which consists of flexible plastic or rubber ducks being used in a race. Once DOA approves this type of raffle, any organization holding a Class A or Class B license may conduct duck race raffles.

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shall approve a type of raffle which consists of flexible plastic or rubber ducks being used in a race. In approving this type of raffle, the department shall establish requirements for conducting this type of raffle so that the raffles will comply with the requirements under this subchapter and any rules promulgated under this subchapter.

(2) An organization that holds a Class A or Class B license and that seeks to conduct a raffle that is not of the type that is described under s. 563.908 (1) or sub. V
(1) shall obtain approval from the department before conducting

## Gibson-Glass, Mary

From:

Julian, Jamie

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:00 AM

To: Subject:

Gibson-Glass, Mary Raffle bill - final edits

Hi Mary:

Our P2 looks good. Two things:

- 1) I like that you created "raffle game" to be an umbrella term that includes raffle drawing, etc. However, the Dept. of Admin is more comfortable with using raffle drawing at least at certain points to help pinpoint a moment in time when the winner is determined since a raffle game refers to an activity that my occur on more than one day. Please change game to drawing on page 5 lines 20 & 23; page 6 lines 9, 18 & 22; and, page 7 line 7
- 2) On page 3 line 6 add the following language after chance (before that) where the prize determination is based on a method of random selection and all entries have an equal chance of selection.

Please prepare a final draft of the sub for both our office and the Sen. Lasee office.

Thanks and let me know if you have any questions.

## Jamie Julian

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